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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application in the name of:

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Sanghyun JOO of Taejon, Republic of Korea; and
Seon Hwa LEE of Taejon, Republic of Korea,

for **METHOD FOR EMBEDDING AND EXTRACTING DIGITAL WATERMARK ON LOWEST WAVELET SUBBAND**. The application comprises a 25-page specification including 9 claims (2 independents) and Abstract, 4 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-6), and a Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The above-mentioned applicants qualify for small entity status.

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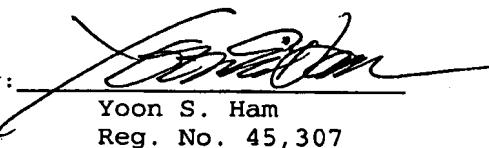
- (1) Assignment document, cover sheet and \$40.00 fee for recordation of Assignment.
- (2) Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and copies of references; and
- (3) A certified copy of Korean Application No. 2003-68930, filed October 2, 2003, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

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